

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Friday, August 7, 2020
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- **Day 1 (Friday):** Isolated thunderstorms remain possible over the Sierra this afternoon and evening. Otherwise, quiet weather is expected today and into much of the weekend.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

08/07/20 - 08/13/20

Friday-Monday

- Isolated thunderstorms continue each afternoon along the Sierra
 - A few stronger storms are possible with brief heavy rain and strong, gusty winds but any significant rain will be highly localized
- Temperatures gradually warming up into the weekend, with moderate heat impacts developing for the Inland and Southern valleys by Sunday
- Strong offshore winds developing across the Coastal region Sunday into Monday, especially north of San Francisco
 - These winds may increase fire potential for areas that don't typically see higher fire danger too often

Tuesday-Thursday

- Low to moderate heat impacts continuing early in the week for much of Southern and Inland portions of the state
- Elevated fire weather concerns into much of next week as mainly dry conditions prevail
- Isolated thunderstorms remain possible each afternoon across the Sierra, but widespread precipitation is not expected



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

08/07/20 - 08/13/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds			Coastal	Coastal			
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Inland (Sierra)	Inland (Mtns)	Inland (Mtns)	Inland (Mtns)	Inland (Mtns)	Inland (Mtns)	Inland (Mtns)
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Coastal	Coastal	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern
Heat Risk		Southern	Southern/ Inland	Southern/ Inland	Southern	Southern	Southern
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



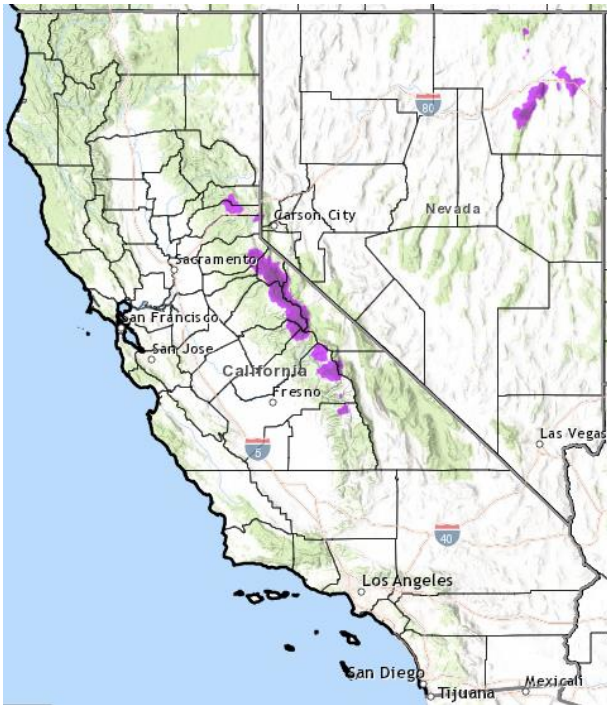
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

08/07/20 - 08/09/20



Friday



Saturday



Sunday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

08/12/20 - 08/20/20

6-10 Day Outlook (August 12 – August 16)

Temperatures

- Near to slightly below normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation expected for much of the state, with the exception of southwest California where below normal precipitation is expected

8-14 Day Outlook (August 14 – August 20)

Temperatures

- Near to slightly above normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation favored for the majority of the state



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